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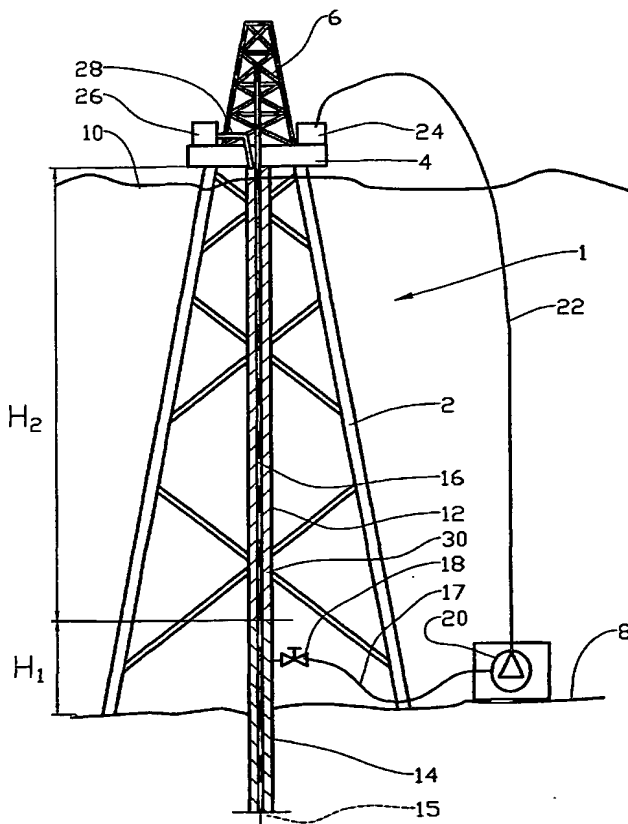
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drilling fluid pressure during subsea drilling, where  
drilling fluid is pumped down into a borehole (15) and  
then flows back to a drilling rig (1) via the lined and/or  
unlined sections of the borehole (15) and a liner (14),  
wherein the drilling fluid pressure is controlled by  
pumping drilling fluid out of the liner (14) at the seabed,  
and where the liner (14) annulus (30) above the drilling  
fluid is filled with a riser fluid having a density different  
from that of the drilling fluid.

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